## **RESOLUTION NO.**2021–153

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$16,293.28 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND-*STATE* FOR THE PURCHASE OF CCTV SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM FROM VCS TECH SYSTEMS, LLC, WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AS IT IS ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE CITY, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- **WHEREAS**, the Hialeah Police Department Training Department is in need of a surveillance system to monitor all of the inventory in its Department;
- WHEREAS, firearms, ammunition, and other equipment that will be utilized during police training and operations will be contained within the Training Department; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Hialeah Police Department seeks to purchase CCTV Surveillance System to be installed where aforementioned equipment will be stored in its Training Department from VCS Tech Systems, LLC,; and
- WHEREAS, VCS Tech Systems, LLC is an active corporation in good standing in the state of Florida; and
- WHEREAS, VCS Tech Systems, LLC complies with Florida Department Law Enforcement (FDLE) CJIS Security Policy which mandates that all agencies connected to the FBI CJIS systems adhere to regulation set forth within the Policy which includes that each vendor employee contracted by the Hialeah Police Department for certain services complete a level 1 security awareness training; and
- **WHEREAS**, funding for this project will be from account 105.1000.521.640 Law Enforcement Trust Fund-*STATE*; and
- **WHEREAS**, Section 932.7055, Fla. Stat. (2018), the Florida Contraband and Forfeiture Act, authorizes the expenditure of Law Enforcement Trust Funds-*STATE* for this purpose and the funds are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund-*STATE* account for the Police Department; and
- WHEREAS, the Chief of Police of the Hialeah Police Department has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act, and all applicable rules, regulations and guidelines governing the expenditure of Law Enforcement Trust Fund-STATE; and

WHEREAS, the City finds the expenditure is in the public interest;

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

**Section 1:** The foregoing facts and recitations contained in the preamble to this resolution are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Section 2: The City of Hialeah, Florida hereby approves the expenditure of an amount not exceeding \$16,293.28 from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund-STATE for the purchase of CCTV Surveillance System from VCS Tech Systems, waiving competitive bidding as it is advantageous to the City, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police of the Hialeah Police Department having specifications and pursuant to the terms and conditions as set forth in "Exhibit 1."

Section 3: This resolution shall become effective when passed by the City Council and signed by the Mayor.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9 day of November , 2021.

Can Zogby
Council President

Attest: Approved on this 23 day of November , 2021.

Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk

Mayor Esteban Bovo, Jr.

Resolution was adopted by 7-0 vote w

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Lorena E. Bravo, City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by 7-0 vote with Councilmembers, Cue-Fuente, De la Rosa, Garcia-Roves, Hernandez, Perez, Tundidor, and Zogby voting "Yes."